



CITY OF NORMANDY

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Minutes of the Normandy City Council Meeting Tuesday, September 7, 2021 6:30 p.m.

BE IT REMEMBERED that the city Council of the City of Normandy held a board meeting on Tuesday, September 7, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. at Normandy City Hall, 7700 Natural Bridge Road, Normandy, MO 63121.

Upon rolls call being taken, the following members were in attendance:

Mayor Mark Beckmann	Present
Councilperson Walter Moss	Present
Councilperson Lelia Martin	Present
Councilperson Tony Evans	Present
Councilperson Lawanda Smith	Present
Councilperson Rick Nelson	Present
Councilperson Maurice Hunt	Present
Councilperson Erma Ratliff	Present
Councilperson Yolanda Campbell	Present

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Motion to approve the agenda for September 7, 2021, made by Councilperson Evans, seconded by Councilperson Campbell. Roll call vote was called –

Moss	No
Martin	No
Evans	Yes
Smith	No
Hunt	No
Ratliff	No
Campbell	Yes

Motion failed by roll call vote.

Motion to amend agenda made by Councilman Moss, second by Councilman Hunt.

Motion carried by voice vote.

Councilman Hunt recommends removing item "4" from the agenda, and adding the subject of payment to Attorney Gray to "New Business".

Motion to approve agenda as amended made by Councilman Hunt, 2nd by Councilman Moss.

Motion carried by voice vote.

Report of Officers –

Mayor Beckmann – Disappointed at losing candidate for City Administrator Myisa Whitlock. Disappointed at CDBG hearing not having a quorum and cancelling the hearing. Announced the resignation of Public Works Director Regina Fitzgerald. Thanks to resident Jane Reise for weeding medians.

Councilwoman Campbell – Announces Beyond Housing seminar on vacant house issues scheduled 9/16. Announces Ignite Opportunity seminar.

Councilman Hunt – States two signatures should be required on any city check, states concerns about checks and balances. States concerns about Covid-19 exposure at city hall.

Councilman Nelson joins meeting late.

Motion to give Mayor authority to enter into 90 day extension on existing Pasadena Hills police service contract made by Councilwoman Martin, 2nd by Councilman Moss.

Motion carried by voice vote.

First reading of Bill 09-07-21 MEC Disclosure read by title by Mayor Beckmann.

Motion for second reading of Bill 09-07-21 MEC Disclosure made by Councilman Moss, 2nd by Councilwoman Martin.

Roll call vote –

Moss	Yes
Martin	Yes
Evans	Yes
Smith	Yes
Nelson	Yes
Hunt	Yes
Ratliff	Yes
Campbell	Yes

Motion carried.

Motion to approve Bill No. 09-07-21 made by Councilman Moss, 2nd by Councilwoman Martin.

Roll call vote called –

Moss	Yes
Martin	Yes
Evans	Yes
Smith	Yes
Nelson	Yes
Hunt	Yes
Ratliff	Yes
Campbell	Yes

Bill No. 09-07-21 passed. Assigned Ordinance No. 2021-001

Discussion of changes to IT assessment and possible changes in IT service contract tabled.

Webmaster status discussed. Justin Kolker will be resigning. Tom Moore opined that the city is wasting money by not taking advantage of features of current website.

Danielle Correll addresses council on invoice for past IT services. Would like payment of old invoice in the amount \$1,731.00.

Motion by Councilwoman Campbell to pay \$1,731.00 to Danielle Correll for previous IT services, 2nd by Councilwoman Smith.

Motion carried by voice vote.

Discussion of hiring prosecuting attorney assistant from St. Ann as consultant to train our new PA assistant.

Motion by Councilman Moss to hire consultant to train new PA assistant not to exceed \$400, 2nd by Councilwoman Martin.

Motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

Discussion about the Human Resources position.

Councilman Hunt objects to Keith Chung being prosecutor for the City.

Discussion about current public works staffing and lack of supervision.

CDBG hearing scheduled for Monday, Sept. 20 @ 6:30.

Budget workshop scheduled for Sept. 13 @ 6:30.

Citizen comments –

Karen Moore, Skyview – Stop the racial division. Concerned about public works.

Kevin Jackson, Bermuda Ct. – Council is out of order. Moved to Normandy for excellent services. States looking forward to April election.

Becky Harrington, Augusta Ave – Would like to address Chief Hall, disappointed he left meeting early. Concerned about moral of officers. States Chief Hall should not be here.

Stacy Jefferson, 7740 Wooddale – issues with public works, concerned about water runoff causing damage to her property.

Joyce McGraff, Nacomis – Suggests reaching out to other communities for IT help.

Debbie Rosso, Normandy Pl. – Suggests outsourcing sanitation.

Jarnell Carter (not a resident) – States has property listed on Winchelsea, state derelict properties affecting property values.

Motion to adjourn made by Councilwoman Campbell, 2nd by Councilman Evans.

Motion passed by voice vote. Meeting adjourned.

Minutes approved by the City Council on this 18 day of January, 2022.



Honorable Mark Beckmann, Mayor



Acting City Clerk, Samuel Johnson

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